

Idioms & Phrases MCQ Question Answer

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Question: 1. To make clean breast of

- Option A. To gain prominence
- Option B. To praise oneself
- Option C. To confess without of reserve
- Option D. To destroy before it blooms

Question: 2. To keeps one's temper

- Option A. To become hungry
- Option B. To be in good mood
- Option C. To preserve ones energy
- Option D. To be aloof from

Question: 3. To catch a tartar

- Option A. To trap wanted criminal with great difficulty
- Option B. To catch a dangerous person
- Option C. To meet with disaster
- Option D. To deal with a person who is more than one's match

Question: 4. To drive home

- Option A. To find one's roots
- Option B. To return to place of rest
- Option C. Back to original position
- Option D. To emphasise

Question: 5. To have an axe to grind

- Option A. A private end to serve
- Option B. To fail to arouse interest
- Option C. To have no result
- Option D. To work for both sides

Question: 6. To cry wolf

- Option A. To listen eagerly
- Option B. To give false alarm
- Option C. To turn pale
- Option D. To keep off starvation

Question: 7. To end in smoke

- Option A. To make completely understand

- Option B. To ruin oneself
- Option C. To excite great applause
- Option D. To overcome someone

Question: 8. To be above board

- Option A. To have a good height
- Option B. To be honest in any business deal
- Option C. They have no debts
- Option D. To try to be beautiful

Question: 9. To put one's hand to plough

- Option A. To take up agricultural farming
- Option B. To take a difficult task
- Option C. To get entangled into unnecessary things
- Option D. Take interest in technical work

Question: 10. To pick holes

- Option A. To find some reason to quarrel
- Option B. To destroy something
- Option C. To criticise someone
- Option D. To cut some part of an item

Question: 11. To leave someone in the lurch

- Option A. To come to compromise with someone
- Option B. Constant source of annoyance to someone
- Option C. To put someone at ease
- Option D. To desert someone in his difficulties

Question: 12. To play second fiddle

- Option A. To be happy, cheerful and healthy
- Option B. To reduce importance of one's senior
- Option C. To support the role and view of another person
- Option D. To do back seat driving

Question: 13. To beg the question

- Option A. To refer to
- Option B. To take for granted
- Option C. To raise objections
- Option D. To be discussed

Question: 14. A black sheep

- Option A. An unlucky person

- Option B. A lucky person
- Option C. An ugly person
- Option D. None of these

Question: 15. A man of straw

- Option A. A man of no substance
- Option B. A very active person
- Option C. A worthy fellow
- Option D. An unreasonable person

Question: 16. To smell a rat

- Option A. To see signs of plague epidemic
- Option B. To get bad smell of a bad dead rat
- Option C. To suspect foul dealings
- Option D. To be in a bad mood

Question: 17. To hit the nail right on the head

- Option A. To do the right thing
- Option B. To destroy one's reputation
- Option C. To announce one's fixed views
- Option D. To teach someone a lesson

Question: 18. To set one's face against

- Option A. To oppose with determination
- Option B. To judge by appearance
- Option C. To get out of difficulty
- Option D. To look at one steadily

Question: 19. At one's wit's end

- Option A. Clear Up
- Option B. Perplexed
- Option C. Explain
- Option D. Enlighten

Question: 20. All and Sundry

- Option A. only rich person
- Option B. together
- Option C. selected people
- Option D. Everybody without distinction

Question: 21. All in all

- Option A. Every person

- Option B. Call all at once
- Option C. Most important
- Option D. Particular thing same in all

Question: 22. At arm's length

- Option A. Insult
- Option B. Length of arm
- Option C. At a distance
- Option D. Very near

Question: 23. a white elephant

- Option A. a proud possession
- Option B. a rare article
- Option C. useful mode of transport
- Option D. costly or troublesome possession

Question: 24. At daggers drawn

- Option A. at enmity
- Option B. to be puzzled
- Option C. at friendship
- Option D. real cause

Question: 25. does not hold water

- Option A. Cannot be belived
- Option B. cannot be valued
- Option C. does not fulfil the requirements
- Option D. does not deserve appreciation

Question: 26. In the teeth of

- Option A. in the end
- Option B. real cause
- Option C. in the face of
- Option D. to chase

Question: 27. no love lost between

- Option A. forming a group
- Option B. have a good understanding
- Option C. not on good terms
- Option D. stop loving

Question: 28. Bag and baggage

- Option A. Without any belonging

Option B. All the clothing

Option C. With all one's belongings

Option D. Leave

Question: 29. out and out

Option A. slightly

Option B. totally

Option C. simply

Option D. merely

Question: 30. Lions share

Option A. look angrily

Option B. minor share

Option C. heart of the prey

Option D. major share

Answer Sheet

1	C	
2	B	
3	B	
4	D	
5	A	
6	B	
7	B	
8	B	
9	B	
10	C	
11	D	
12	C	
13	B	
14	D	
15	A	
16	C	
17	A	
18	A	
19	B	
20	D	
21	C	
22	C	
23	D	
24	A	
25	D	
26	C	
27	C	
28	C	
29	B	
30	D	